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The reply filed on 1/9/2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The reply would amend the claims to read on method of use claims. The originally presented claims were drawn to a composition. The originally claimed composition is independent or distinct from the now claimed method because the composition could be used in a materially different method, such as a method of catalyzing a chemical reaction or industrial process (transition metals and transition metal oxides being known catalysts for such reactions or processes), and it would be a burden to examine both inventions together in a single application. Because Applicants have already received an office action on the merits, all of the instantly pending method claims are withdrawn, and there are no claims pending for examination. A response that leaves no claims pending for examination is not compliant. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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